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§9.5–904.

- (a) There is a Maryland Child Care Credential Program.
- (b) An individual may apply to the Office for a staff credential, including a child development associate credential, or an administrator credential under this subsection.
- (c) If a person pursues, obtains, or already holds an Office approved credential, the Office may award to the individual:
 - (1) An achievement bonus;
 - (2) A training reimbursement; or
 - (3) A training voucher.
- (d)
 - (1) The Governor shall appropriate \$4,000,000 for the program for fiscal year 2021.
 - (2) For each of fiscal years 2022 through 2024, funding for the program shall increase by 10% over the prior fiscal year.

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